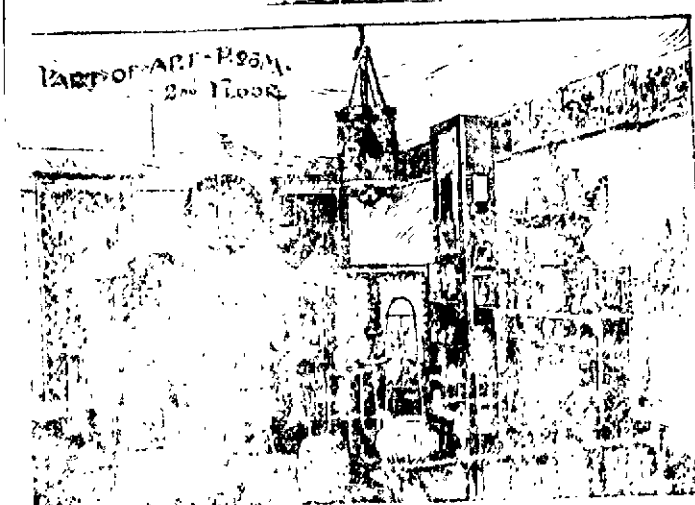


BARGAIN * SALE!



Our second annual sale of FEBRUARY BARGAINS will open Monday morning in our China Department. This sale embraces many FINE GOODS not in WHOLE SETS; plates from which one or more have been broken or sold, escolloped Oyster Sets, Pudding Sets, Odd Creamers and Sugar, Water Jugs and Caddies.

In this sale you will find some of the HANDSOMEST Goods ever brought to Decatur. We have a few of those very fine plates, the prices of which ran from \$40 to \$100 per dozen. The few left will go into this sale. Don't miss it.



OUR ART ROOM SALE will be carried on during this month and all CUT GLASS, ROYAL WORCESTERS and that class of ware have been reduced to where they will tempt you.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,
Second Floor, China Department.

THEY FETCH 'EM.

Those ELEGANT TIES on display in our window do the work. You pass by and glance in and they do the rest.

The Nobbiest line of Ties ever shown for 25c. Actual 50c and 75c patterns.

BRYAN, JONES & CO.
4 Doors West of Post Office.

1892—1855—37

We have left behind us another milestone on the highway of our business career, and are now entering upon the 37th year of entering to the wants of the public.

We will, as heretofore, aim to please, and you can rest assured that the best of everything to be found in a first-class meat market will always be offered you.

Thanking you for past patronage bestowed and respectfully soliciting a continuance of the same we remain,

Imboden Bros.

THIS SPACE

BELONGS TO

WALTER HUTCHIN.

DAILY REPUBLICAN

SPRING IS COMING.

And you will want your Carpet cleaned.

ELECTRIC CLEANSER

will do the work. Carpets can be cleaned without taking up. It is equally good for cleaning clothes.

KING & WOOD.

WEDNESDAY EVE., MARCH 2, 1892.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I have the honor to announce myself as a candidate for election to the office of Town Clerk at the ensuing Town election, subject to the action of the Republican Town Meeting.

We are authorized to announce JAMES H. WILSON as a candidate for the office of Town Clerk at the ensuing Town election, subject to the action of the Republican Town Meeting.

We are authorized to announce MARION MAX as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace at the ensuing Town election, subject to the action of the Republican Town Meeting.

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM H. WILSON as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace at the ensuing Town election, subject to the action of the Republican Town Meeting.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Until March 1.

In order not to disappoint our many customers who were under the impression that our Bargain Sale was to continue through the entire month of February, we have decided to prolong the sale until March 1. This sale has been of great benefit to those who desire the goods at prices usually asked for cheaper goods. We want you to come and see for yourself whether we are doing as we say.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DEATH & SOX, TELLERS.

This is the beginning of Lent.

TEXT, 38—Hoskins & Moore, dentists. Hoskins & Moore, E. W. cigar.

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Fun kindling wood nek F. O. Caldwell, the coal dealer.

THE work of cleaning the mud off the paved streets is in progress.

BRUNNEN says: "You have one great success in America, Clara Morris."

ELIZABETH styles in Spring Military at Sawyer & McQuay's, 110 N. Water St.

The funeral of the late Jacob A. Price is in progress today from the residence, 918 North Union street.

Our all-wood, black-boisery at reduced prices to clear out stock. LINS & SOUTHERN, D. G. & Co. 20-32

Sawyer & McQuay have just received a large invoice of elegant new spring military at 110 N. Water St. 2-35

The basement of the St. Nicholas is being fitted up as rapidly as possible for use as a barber shop and bath room.

SERIAL BARBERS in Gents, Ladies' and Children's Knitted underwear and Unfinished Shirts, at Lins & Southern, D. G. & Co.

J. C. LUTHERMAN and Miss Agnes E. Leagle, both of Stoughton, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon by Justice P. B. Proctor at his office.

We have just received large invoices of fresh garden and flower seeds. The Spencer & Leiman Company, corner Main and Wood streets. 2-17-18-21-22

COMA TANNER, in "Will She Divorce Him?" will appear at the Grand next Tuesday night. Agent Hens was in the city today making arrangements for the appearance of Miss Tanner.

MARRIAGE LICENSES were issued today to Will A. Burke of Boone and Miss Helene Barner of Perry county, Pa. to Henry A. Olin of Monticello and Miss Anna L. Buser of Macon, and to Wm. F. Bullock and Miss Mary A. Rainey of Orleans.

The funeral of the late Jacob Price, who had been in the employ of Morehouse, Wells & Co. as a toaster for a period of nearly ten years, is in progress this afternoon from the family residence on North Union street.

REMARKS that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has no equal as a specific for coughs, colds and all affections of the throat and lungs.

For nearly half a century it has been a greater demand than any other remedy for pulmonary complaints. All druggists have it for sale.

Sales of Real Estate.

Lewis Ayers to Jacob Sheets, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of 27, 18, east, 40 acres in Long Creek township—\$2,000.

Author to David to Chas. E. Pagett, 25 feet off of the south side of lot 4, in Miller & Tuckers addition to Decatur—\$300.

Jacob Hanes to J. B. Campbell, 64 acres off of the west side of the southeast quarter of 24, 18, east—\$4,800.

Author to Lewis to Chas. E. Pagett, 25 feet off of the south side of lot 4, in Miller & Tuckers addition to Decatur—\$300.

James W. Brown to Andrew Wilson, 100 acres in Hickory Point township—\$7,375.

A. T. Bailey to Rhoda Ramsey, 10 acres in 8, 10, east, in Decatur township, two miles west of the city—\$600.

David F. Bear to Wm. Baum, the southeast quarter of 24, 17, 1 east, 80 acres in Hill township—\$4,200.

Henry Hirsch to Samuel Shutter, the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of 20, 17, 3 east, 40 acres in Whitestone township—\$2,400.

John L. Rybolt to D. J. Moyer, 30 acres in 10, 18, 1 east—\$4,800.

James W. Brown to Andrew Wilson, 100 acres in Hickory Point township—\$7,375.

Ernest Thomas Jr. to John Lally, deed to lots 10 and 14, block 1, Rogers' subdivision—\$450.

John H. Pifer to Bertram Jameson, 100 acres in 10, block 8, Higgins' addition—\$1,400.

James F. Finn to R. F. Kincaid, et al, master's deed to lot 20, block 1, Wood's addition of 1890—\$234.

Memo D. Cripe to J. C. Wice, an undivided one-fourth interest in the north half of the south half of the northeast quarter of 17, 16, 4 east—40 acres in Long Creek township—\$1,800.

Margaret A. Webb to Horace Pritchett, the east half of the southeast quarter of 1, 16, 1 west—80 acres in Ninette township—\$4,000.

J. W. Myers to Jason Rogers, the north half of the southwest quarter of 25, and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of 25, all in 16, 4 east—120 acres in Long Creek township—\$9,300.

Lewis W. Myers to J. W. Myers, the east half of the southeast quarter of 23, 10, 8 east—80 acres in Long Creek township—\$8,100.

Joseph R. Black to Jeremiah Black, the west half of the northwest quarter of 9, 15, 1 east—80 acres in Blue Mountain township—\$4,000.

A POKER REFORMER.

The Clinton Authorities in Their Raid on Gamblers Got Some Wheat Among the Chaff.

An ardent gentleman once paraphrased a well known passage of scripture, and made it read: "Down in the meadow where the speckled hen scratcheth there may the bug be found also." Like unto this figure has been the life of Frank M. Palmer, one of Clinton's pioneer reformers. Wherever those happened to be a greenback, a prohibition or a reformer, they were sure to find him. He was a man of a meeting, that promised to take a vote away from the Republican party, there could Frank Palmer be found bawling the condition of the people, and mixing the paste of reform. He was always willing to work overtime to show the people how they ought to vote, but as for Frank himself, he never failed to vote the Democratic ticket no matter what that party advocated.

He is a Democrat, pure and simple, and possesses every virtue necessary to wipe everything that can in any way contribute to the success of that party. The real Bourbon in Frank was once very pointedly illustrated by a remark dropped by J. D. Rogers, one of Clinton's business men. Frank had for some minutes, one evening in 1888, regaled a company of men in a store about the status of the Clinton, and intimated that he might support him; when one of the company remarked that, Frank was not very loyal to his profession of reform, and he replied that he was as good a Greenbacker as he ever was. Rogers retorted: "No one will dispute that, for the chances are you never were an honest one."

But Frank voted for Grover Cleveland, and continued to advocate new parties. When the F. M. B. A. came into being Frank was at the commencement and helped to handle the awdalling clothes. He took the temperature of the new comer and figured upon the probabilities of Democratic gains in the new deal. He attended county, state and national conventions and became a blooming figure to the executive committee of the state alliance, and also secured the DeWitt county alliance. He just kept on going and never stopped but once, and that was to lend a hand in the election of John M. Palmer to the United States Senate.

He advocated free coinage and the loaning of money by the government to such farmers as he at 2 per cent, and could talk long and loud upon these subjects.

But at last, to the great loss of the principles he advocates, the evil days of the copper overtook him. Gambling in Clinton had become intolerable and a raid was made a few days ago by the police, and some twenty odd sports were taken in, and among them was the Salt Creek reformer. Nearly all the boys who were taken in, but Frank M. Palmer, who is reported by the boys as being a fortune in the game, is not disposed to contribute to the city's exchequer, and, for the present, at least, is not in to official affairs.

But Frank will come back; he is too honest and too much interested in the great reform he has espoused to allow the people to suffer long by his absence. Those who report that Frank has allowed himself to become a victim of this gambling alliance with the view of gaining notoriety preparatory to going upon the stage, are mistaken. He is not that kind of a man. The evidence all points to the fact that he only desires a "fair deal." He did not play "rump."

Come Again.

"Blue Jeans" is a great play. It was seen for the first time at the Grand last night by an audience of immense size, filling the seats on all floors. It is a great play in pathos, humor, stage realism, and because of its quaintness and naturalness it has a hold upon the play-going people which will keep it alive as long as there are floors or those who have heard of Indiana and the "Blue Jeans" deerskin. The story, which is one of absorbing interest to the crowd, was well told by a well-balanced company, which includes Lawrence Hance, A. O. Moreland, Herbert Carr, Charles Steadman, G. E. French, Lina Barr, Alice Leigh, Flora Arthur and Little Mabel, the child, disarming on the stage and having a glimpse of Santa Claus. The performance throughout was received with enthusiastic marks of approval and all went away glad they were there. The sawmill scene, the Fox House and the "Blue Jeans" band were special features of the performance.

No More Liquor O. O. D.

MONTICELLO, Ill., March 1.—The city council of Monticello passed a resolution asking the Pacific and American express companies to stop shipping liquor to persons in this city.

The companies have decided that no more liquor can be sent O. O. D. and the money must accompany the order and be paid at the place the liquor is purchased. Decatur and Champaign liquor dealers had been flooding the market with liquor shipped O. O. D. and many persons have been arrested for "shipping in" and paying for the liquor.

Dull Business in Court.

The evidence in the two debt cases against W. W. Foster, ex sheriff, and his bondsmen, was concluded in the circuit court last evening before Judge Wright, and the arguments were to have been heard today by the court; but owing to the temporary indisposition of Mr. Orea the hearing of the argument was deferred until to-morrow.

Judge Wright took up the appeal case of Roswell G. Wald, and has spent the day in hearing the reading of depositions by Attorneys Ewing and Johns.

Preaching To-Night.

Dr. Delano, of Evanston, who delivered the dedicatory sermon at the Baptist Mission, will preach to-night at the First Baptist church. He is one of the brightest ministers in the church, and will no doubt be greeted by a large congregation.

A Call.

The Republican voters of Mount Zion township are requested to meet at Harmony school house, Saturday, March 12, at 2 o'clock p. m. to nominate a town clerk.

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CANNOT BE LOCATED.

Shedden Disappearance of Will J. McClelland.

Will J. McClelland, clerk at the Decatur postoffice, and captain of Col. I. O. Pugh Camp No. 14, Sons of Veterans, has been mysteriously missing since Monday night at about 9 o'clock, and much solicitude is felt by his family and friends for his safety. Will was the clerk in charge of the general delivery window at the postoffice, and was found by his family Monday night. He did not say anything about going away, and left the office at his usual time. He has not been at his home, where he has a wife and three children, and there is absolutely no clue as to his whereabouts. His father, J. S. McClelland, has made inquiries in vain wherever he thought it might be. He was last seen at his home on Monday night at 9 o'clock this afternoon. While account was all straight at the postoffice, where he was one of the most trustworthy and efficient of the employees. He is missed in the office. It is hard to fill his place. His disappearance is unconscionable. He had no bad habits of any character, and was always methodical and faithful in his work.

HENRY'S CONVICTION.

He Was Not Sent Up for Stealing From Linn & Burges.

John Clagston, who is in charge of the silk department at the Linn & Burges store, states that the silk of silk is not quite so lively now as it was Sunday night, when eleven bolts were carried off by the burglar, but there is a fine assortment of the goods in stock just as good, and while the demand is not so great, Mr. Clagston is kept busy showing silks to parties who look over the costs of the remainder for sale.

THE NEW BAPTIST MISSION.

Dedication of the Chapel in East Park Boulevard.

The ceremonies attending the formal dedication of the new Baptist mission chapel in East Park Boulevard were observed last evening in the presence of a large number of christian people, including the residue of the immediate neighborhood. It was mainly through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clagston, who donated the lot, that the Baptist found it possible to build the chapel, and Mrs. W. R. Burges for the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church, and also for the new society in giving a history of the undertaking thanked the donors for the gift of the lot, which is on 22nd street and fronts the Linn & Burges store. The mission is of a large, modern design and finish, and will seat nearly 200 people. The church choir and a number of children took part in the exercises.

The dedicatory sermon was delivered by Rev. H. A. Deane of Evanston, who was introduced by Rev. C. E. Harvey. The text was the thirteenth verse of the third chapter of Acts, and the sermon was heard with interest. It was an address on the power of christianity and the development of character.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Owens is in Monticello visiting relatives.

Miss Bessie Green has returned from a visit with relatives in Chicago.

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